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Honorable James L. Cott
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: *Kaye v. NYC Health & Hospitals Corp., et al.*, 18-cv-12137 (JPC)(JLC)

Dear Magistrate Judge Cott:

I write in response to Plaintiff's June 29, 2021 letter requesting an in-person settlement conference, rather than proceeding by video conference using a Zoom platform as proposed by the Court in its June 16, 2021 Order. *See* ECF Nos. 155 and 156.

Defendants were not consulted regarding Plaintiff's preference to participate in-person, and respectfully request that the settlement conference proceed by video conferencing as set forth in the Court's June 16, 2021 Order.

Very truly yours,

/s/
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